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Military Service Registration Next Thursday, Sept. 12th

All Male Citizens Between 18 and 45 Years of Age Must Be Registered for Military Service.

A Proclamation By Governor Sleeper

Whereas, The Congress of the United States has enacted a law requiring all male citizens between eighteen and forty-five years of age inclusive to be registered for military service, and

Whereas, the President of the United States, by proclamation, has fixed Sept. 12th, 1918, for the registration throughout the United States of all men between the ages of eighteen and forty-five inclusive for military service, except those who have already registered and those who are not required under the law to do so,

Therefore, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Governor of the State of Michigan, I do hereby announce and proclaim to the People of the State of Michigan

1st. Under the authority vested in the President, it has been ordered that State Headquarters, Local Boards and other officials of the State will hold themselves in readiness to proceed promptly with their work of registration on the date fixed.

2nd. Existing draft machinery will be used with such increased facilities and additional registrars as are required for this enrollment. Under the President's proclamation, the Governors of all States have been called upon to supervise this registration, and the Adjutant General, will, under this proclamation be the central administrative authority, all Local Boards will have immediate direction and supervision within their respective jurisdictions. The actual registration will be made in the customary voting precincts within the jurisdiction of each board or in such other places as the Local Board having jurisdiction shall designate by public notice.

3rd. All male persons who shall have attained their eighteenth birthday and shall not have attained their forty-sixth birthday on or before the day set for registration by the President must register. The only exceptions are:

(a) Persons who, prior to the day set for registration by the President, have registered under the terms of the Act approved May 18, 1917, (which fixed the original age limits at twenty-one to 30 inclusive) or under the terms of the Public Resolution of Congress approved May 20, 1918 (providing for the registration since June 5, 1917, of those reaching the age of twenty-one years) whether called for public service or not; and

(b) Officers and enlisted men of the Regular Army, officers appointed and men of the forces drafted; under the provisions of the Act approved May 18, 1917; officers and enlisted men of the National Guard while in the service of the United States; and the officers of Officers' Reserve Corps and enlisted men in the Enlisted Reserve Corps while in the service of the United States; and

(c) Officers and enlisted men of the Navy, Marine Corps and officers and enlisted and enrolled men of the Naval Reserve Force and Marine Corps Reserve while in the service of the United States; and

(d) Diplomatic representatives, technical attaches of foreign embassies and legations, consuls general, consuls and consular agents of foreign countries residing in the United States.

(4th) Local Police authorities in all parts of the country will cooperate with the Government in the enforcement of order on registration day. Regulations prescribed by the President and sent to draft officials of the various States contain the following provisions:

5th. On the day set for registration all Federal Marshals, Deputy Marshals and Investigating Agents and all Police Officers—State, County, Township, Municipal and Town—of whatever grade or class, shall hold themselves in readiness to render whatever assistance may be necessary in preserving order at places of registration and in assisting in bringing about a complete registration.

6th. All Marshals, Deputy Marshals, Investigating Agents, and Police Officers shall examine the registration lists and report without delay to the Local Boards the names of any persons known by them to have failed to register themselves when liable to registration, and it shall be the duty of Local

Boards to report to the proper United States District Attorney all cases coming to their attention of persons who have failed to present themselves for registration as required by law.

7th. In every case in which a duly designated officer or agent refuses or fails to act, the Governor, Adjutant General, or member of the Local Board, will proceed at once to name another officer or agent for such duty, and will bring the fact of such refusal or failure and the circumstances connected therewith, to the attention of the proper United States District Attorney, with a view to the institution of prosecution of such officer or agent, as provided in Section 6 of the Act approved May 18, 1917.

It is essential that the people of this State shall accord the fullest measure of cooperation in the carrying out of this order. Ignorance of the law and of regulations issued by proper authority under the law excuses no one. All persons on the border line of the age of registration will be required to give adequate proof that they are outside of the age limit specified. The penalty for failure to register is one year's imprisonment and no man can exonerate himself by the payment of a fine.

Police officers may require any person subject to registration to exhibit his registration certificate.

Persons not subject to registration solely on account of being in the military or naval service of the United States become subject to registration and are required to register immediately upon leaving such military or naval service.

And I do further request that Thursday, September 12th, 1918 the date appointed by the President for such registration be observed as a Holiday throughout this State, and urge upon all persons to lay aside their customary labors upon this date, and to celebrate the day with such suitable exercises as may be provided in each locality, in order that the work of the general government may be properly carried out without interference or hindrance in this State.

And I hereby appoint the Mayor of each city, the President of each village and the Supervisor of each township as chairman of their respective communities to head committees and to prepare such form of celebration as may be deemed suitable for the observance of the day of registration.

Given under my hand at the Capitol in Lansing this second day of September, 1918.

ALBERT E. SLEEPER,
Governor.

PIONEER RESIDENT PASSES AWAY.

Samuel Tooley, a resident of Charlevoix County for over half a century, passed away at the home of his friend, John Martin, near Charlevoix, Monday morning, Sept. 2nd. He was in usual health when he was taken with a sudden pain in the head and expired immediately.

Deceased was born March 10th, 1854 in Ontario. He came with his parents, Walker Tooley, to Charlevoix County in 1866 and a few years later they purchased a farm in Eveline township, where he resided up to a few years ago.

He was married April 20th, 1879, to Miss Emma Daniels, of Ithaca. Several children were born to them, two of whom survive—James of East Jordan and Allan residing in Colorado. Mrs. Tooley passed away some fourteen years ago. Besides above sons deceased leaves one brother, John Tooley of this city, a half-sister, Mrs. Eva Ferris of Charlevoix, and an uncle, Wm. Tooley of Harbor Springs.

Funeral services were held Wednesday morning, conducted by Rev. M. E. Hoyt of this city. Interment at Lake View Cemetery.

Beauty is often one woman's thorn in another woman's flesh.

The little word "but" blunts the point of many a good argument.

Time isn't always money to the man who does business on credit.

When Dame Fortune goes calling she utterly disregards "at home" days.

There are many kinds of foolishness, but the meanest kind is selfishness.

SCHOOLS OPEN WITH GOOD ATTENDANCE IN ALL BRANCHES

Our public schools opened for the fall term Monday, and an enrollment of 560 pupils has already been made—177 in the high school and 383 in the grades.

Considerable difficulty has been encountered in securing a full corps of competent instructors, but this has been overcome with the exceptions of a manual training teacher.

Below is the list of teachers and their assignments:

M. R. Keyworth, Supt.

HIGH SCHOOL

Ralph H. Sill—Agriculture.
Henrietta Stiff—Commercial.
Mrs. M. C. Blount—History & Civics.
Pauline Munson—Language.
Edith Sprague—English.
Opal Biglow—Mathematics.
Lella Howe—Junior High School Subjects.
Mrs. Bernice Fowler—Domestic Science and Art.

CENTRAL SCHOOL

Martha Freiberg—Kindergarten.
Margaret McMaisters—First Grade.
Mrs. Ella Harrison—Second Grade.
Maude Coulter—Third Grade.
Mrs. D. H. Fitch—Fourth Grade.
June Hoyt—Fifth Grade.
Mary E. Hendricks—Sixth Grade.
Donna Hoyt—Ungraded Room.

WEST SIDE SCHOOL

Ruth Weston—Kindergarten.
Nana Randall—First & Second Grades.
Edith McLachlin—Third & Fourth Grades.
Sarah Scheerer—Fifth & Sixth Grades.
Grace White—Pennmanship.
The Manual Training teacher has not yet been secured.

School Commissioner's Notes

May L. Stewart, Commissioner

The only districts in the county that have not established school libraries at the present time are: Boyne Valley No. 1, Hudson No. 2, St. James No. 2, and No. 3, and Peaine No. 2. Thus the triplicate reports indicate that on the mainland we have only two schools out of 64 that have no libraries and in the Beavers we have three schools that have no libraries. Let us hope that 1918 will care for this margin that keeps us from being a 100 per cent library county.

The following letter has been saved since last June for just this time. Let us hope that it gives its own message of school ideals to parent and student readers:

Dear Miss Stewart:—
I am writing you a line this morning in regard to Edith's attendance at school the past nine months. I enclose her report card so you will see that she was neither absent nor tardy for the year (in fact for five years) and I believe she has earned a diploma. I wrote the teacher nearly two weeks ago and she has not answered me. Will you kindly give this your attention?
Yours very truly,
Mrs. A. C. Struthers.

You may be sure that the above received prompt attention. If there is anything in the school life of every pupil that will spell interest and success, it is regular attendance encouraged by the unselfish parent and continued by the diligent student. We have many who are neither absent nor tardy for one year at a time and we say praises to the busy farmer who can still see the need for regular attendance if his child is to maintain interest and places this interest above his own immediate need on the farm.

We have however only a few pupils who are neither absent nor tardy year after year. The Davis girls have carried this record in the Slaughter school for several years. The Com's was talking with them this summer, and upon asking them if upon entering the Boyne City High school this fall they intended to continue this good record in regular and punctual attendance, their eyes shown brightly and they answered "Certainly." Elmer Padgett of the Gill school told us last year that he wanted a diploma for being neither absent nor tardy for four years, and then wanted to know if there was such a thing as a big diploma or something if you didn't miss a day for eight years. (You may be sure we would find something.) His father is a busy farmer, with work of course enough for ten men but his boy's life is given to him during school time, the biggest gift his father can give him in these days or in any days to come. There may be several others whose names have been hidden like the violet but if kind friends will help us to learn their names, we shall surely be glad to hear from them.

Red Cross Notes

The Knitting Bee will be entertained next Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Samuel Coulter, assisted by Mrs. Al Tindall. Cars will be provided for those who wish to attend. Will leave Red Cross Headquarters at 2:15.

Knitting Bee last week netted over \$6.00.

The Ironton and Sequanota people gave an enjoyable entertainment last Tuesday evening at the Club House, which was prettily decorated for the occasion. Music was furnished by the Sequanota people. The principal part of the program was given by Miss Louise Loveday of East Jordan. Proceeds \$25.00.

"National Headquarters advises us that:

(a) The stock of yarn is 1,400,000 pounds and while additional yarn may be obtained, the total will be considerably under the 10,000,000 pounds used last year.

(b) The Red Cross has in addition ready for distribution 1,600,000 sweaters, 134,000 mufflers, 384,000 wristlets, 228,000 helmets and 1,328,000 pairs of socks, which, with new articles to be made, will meet the more urgent needs of our men during the coming winter.

(c) From Sept. 1, 1917 to June 30, 1918, the Red Cross distributed, 5,875,000 knitted articles to our army and navy and also sent 870,000 knitted articles to the Red Cross commissioners in France and Italy.

The War Industries Board requests that all Chapters secure yarn exclusively through the Division Bureau of Supplies."

The above letter has just been received from Mr. Howard W. Fenton, manager Central Division, and this information is supplied with the request that it be given special publicity in your local newspapers and thru all other channels that may occur to you, in view of the misinformation that seems to be circulating among many of your workers.

Commission Proceedings.

Regular meeting of the City Commission held at the commission rooms, Monday evening, Sept. 2, 1918. Meeting was called to order by Mayor Cross. Present—Cross and Crowell. Absent—Gidley.

On motion by Crowell, meeting was adjourned until Thursday evening, Sept. 5, 1918.

Adjourned regular meeting of the City Commission held at the commission rooms, Thursday evening, Sept. 5, 1918. Meeting was called to order by Mayor proteim Gidley. Present—Gidley and Crowell. Absent—Cross.

On motion by Crowell, the following bills were allowed:

G. A. Lisk, printing.....	\$ 28.20
F. J. Gruber, rental.....	25.00
Joseph Parks, labor.....	20.00
Klon Smith, labor.....	1.75
Fairbanks-Morse & Co., ignitor	15.24
Enterprise Pub. Co., printing.....	29.05
A. K. Hill, advertising.....	1.00
James Lilak, team work.....	63.75
Fargo Eng. Co., investigating	188.31
dam site.....	
Otis Smith, sal. postage & express	29.13
D. H. Fitch, salary and rental.....	24.17
John Nickless, labor.....	5.20
Henry Cook, salary.....	75.00
Mich. Tel. Co., rentals.....	6.25
C. C. Mack, sal. & postage.....	164.64
R. A. Risk, vaccinations.....	12.50
Northern Auto Co., gasoline.....	1.96
E. R. Kleinhaus, labor at cemetery	6.00
Elec. Light Co., pumping and	
lighting.....	537.55
Andrew Berg, cement work.....	66.25

The following named places were tendered and suggested by the Commission as Military registration places for Sept. 12, 1918:

First Ward—Passenger Building.
2nd Ward—Town Hall.

Third Ward—Commission Rooms.

On motion by Crowell, meeting was adjourned.

Otis J. Smith, City Clerk.

EAST JORDAN AMAZED BY SUDDEN ACTION.

The quick action of pure Lavoptik eye wash is startling. A school boy had eye strain so badly he could not read. A week's use of Lavoptik surprised his teacher so much she used it for her old mother. ONE WASH showed benefit. A small bottle is guaranteed to benefit EVERY CASE weak, strained or inflamed eyes. The QUICK result is astonishing. Aluminum eye cup FREE. Gidley & Mac, druggists

Charlevoix County Fair Offers Day and Night Attractions

Thirty-Fourth Annual Event—Sept. 17-18-19-20—Promises To Be An All-Round Record Breaker.

The Charlevoix County Fair which has been an annual event for the past thirty-four years and is one of the oldest and perhaps the best known in Northern Michigan will be held at East Jordan Sept. 17, 18, 19, 20.

The old residents of Charlevoix County appreciate how this fair has grown and developed in the past thirty-four years. They will remember that it was originally held in one building and has gradually developed from a very small fair to one which now requires ten buildings and forty acres of land and that the present grounds have developed from forty acres of underbrush into the most improved County Fair plant in this part of the country.

This year the management has endeavored to have a fair which is complete in every department and have especially endeavored to develop the patriotic and educational features and it points with pride to a program which will be worth coming miles to see.

Among the features of the fair this year will be the following. Every indication points to a barn full of registered cattle. The cattle exhibit last year was the best ever held at the Charlevoix County Fair and this year there will be more and a greater variety of thoroughbred cattle. The exhibit of last year created a great deal of interest among the farmers of this county and resulted in at least four farmers laying the foundation for thoroughbred herds. In this department the butter fat contest will be held again this year and every farmer who has what he considers a champion milkster is urged to enter his cow in this contest.

Charlevoix county this year has been blessed with an exceptional grain and vegetable crop and the Secretary has heard from farmers in all sections of the county who feel that they have grain and vegetables which they think will take first prize and who are going to exhibit these products and get the opinion of experts as to their quality.

Fruit is also much more plentiful this year than it was last and the growers of fruit in the county have indicated their intention to exhibit their best products and the competition in this department will be unusually keen.

The Fair Association has purchased the Grange building on the fair grounds and will use it this year as a poultry building and as a building for the exhibition of the war garden and war garden canning clubs products. The old poultry building has been torn down very much improving the looks of the grounds. People having poultry to exhibit should observe that the method of awarding prizes in this department has been changed and that an expert from the M. A. C. will do the judging and will deliver lectures on poultry raising and feeding on two days of the fair using the birds exhibited to illustrate his lectures. This is an excellent opportunity to get an expert's opinion as to the quality of your fowls.

The educational exhibit is always a feature of the Fair and Miss Stewart reports this year that every inch of space in the buildings will be taken up with exhibits of a very high class. She has also planned an excellent program for School Day, Sept. 19th, which will include an address by Hon. H. R. Pattengill. Competition among the junior four minute men and a spelling contest among the township winners of spelling contests held last winter.

In the dairy products, cooking and fancy work departments an entirely new feature has been added this year, in that the ladies work will be judged by an expert from M.A.C. This should cause a great deal of interest in this department and should insure a large and varied exhibit.

Mr. Smith, the County Agricultural Agent, has secured a speaker of national repute to address the farmers on Farmer's Day, Sept. 20th. In addition to this main address there will be other addresses on various subjects given by the expert judges which he has secured to do the judging in the various departments.

A tractor demonstration will be given each day of the fair by Ford and Cleveland and possibly by a Moline tractor and by tractors of other makes.

There will be a milk testing contest under the supervision of Mr. Smith given by various boys clubs in the county, canning contests by teams from

war canning clubs of the county; canning demonstrations by experts from M. A. C. and many other new educational features.

The management regrets that at this time it is forced to announce that it is just in receipt of word from its free attraction Bee Ho Gray's Wild West Show cancelling its contract with the Association due to the effects of the draft on its performers. Other free acts are under consideration which will be as good or better and which will be announced next week.

On the midway there will be a merry-go-round, shooting gallery, automatic base ball game, several tent shows, an electric show, novelty concessions and eating stands, a chance for every one to have a good time.

The Red Cross will have charge of the dining hall again this year and will serve excellent meals at noon and night for a reasonable price. And it will also have a bowery dance in the afternoons and evenings.

The grounds are being wired for electricity and a night fair will be held on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings. On each evening there will be free attractions, band concert, all exhibition buildings will be open and each evening performance will be closed by a grand patriotic fireworks display fired by an expert sent by Martin's Fireworks Company.

On Wednesday Sept. 18th, a grand war workers parade will be held on the race track. This parade consists of forty-three divisions and will be representative of every war work being conducted in this country. An announcement of the features of this parade will be made next week.

There will be horse races each day of the fair and they promise to be unusually exciting as it is likely there will be horses from the Southern part of the State to compete with our Northern owned horses.

On Friday the Jackie Band of thirty members together with a drill squad of nine men and three liberty loan speakers will be a big attraction of the fair.

Every person in Charlevoix County should plan to attend this fair at least one day and one evening as it will be worth attending and as it is the duty of all residents of this county to support their county fair and all persons with articles of good quality should see that these articles are exhibited at the fair. There is nothing that will more impress the people of the United States of their ability to win the war than an agricultural fair with its buildings filled to the roof with exhibits of good quality.

FEMALE TURTLE PROVES TRUE TO DEAD MATE.

In Her Grief She Lays 21 Eggs Beside the Dispatched Snapper.

GRISWOLD, Conn.—No faunal fable is this tale of the devotion of a big snapping turtle to her mate, but it is vouched for by two good men and true, Frank Geer and Clifford Barr of of borough of Jewett City.

The two young men were riding along the road near Butt's ridge recently when they spied an enormous turtle blocking the way. In order to prevent the forty-pounder from slipping back into the swamp the young fellows held him by the tail till they could decide what to do.

As they had nothing in the shape of a weapon, it was planned that Barr should stand upon the turtle's back while Geer went to a farmhouse half a mile away to borrow an ax. These measures suited the young men but the turtle objected strenuously and set off toward the swamp. However, Barr was able to retain his footing on the shell until Geer returned, when a few blows of the ax ended the big fellow's career.

The young men were going on a business errand, so determined to leave the cadaver of the turtle in a grain sack beside the road until their return.

When they came back a few hours later they were amazed to see the turtle's mate gliding off, after having laid twenty-one big, white eggs in a hole which she had dug beside the sack containing her consort's "remains."

It was evident by her actions that she realized in some instinctive way that something was wrong. She managed to escape, but Geer and Barr have the twenty-one eggs and the defunct Papa Turtle.